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That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are considering your private life to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers a great many years.

Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, and for many years under her direction, and since her death, she has been advising sick women free of charge.

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**Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation.**

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; this has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has drawn from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice.

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health so many women, you cannot well say, without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me."

## The Times' Daily Short Story.

## How He Got His Start

(Original.)

A young man who had buried his father the day before opened a safe in which the family papers were kept, took out a tin box and, on raising the cover, saw on top of the pile one addressed to himself in his father's handwriting. Breaking the seal, he read:

"When, my dear son, you receive the check in store for you contained in this paper I shall be removed from any reproaches you may feel like casting upon me. I have always intended to tell you what I am telling you now, but as you grew older and our wealth increased I shrank from doing so. Know now, my son, that the father whom you have always loved and revered was once a common tramp. My father would make a farmer of me or apprentice me to a tradesman. I had no fancy for either occupation. What I was fit for was then not apparent, and the result was that I was considered fit for nothing, and this was partly my own opinion. One day, frenzied at the restraint and humdrum life of a saddler's apprentice, I broke away from him and became a tramp.

"One night I was stealing—I wish I could use some other word—a ride under a car on an express train, when the breakers were applied suddenly and the train came to a quick stop. I heard several shots ahead and surmised that the train had been held up by robbers. I was under the front end of the smoking car. Behind me was the baggage car, next before me was the baggage and express car and next the locomotive. Two men, whom I could see by the dim light were masked, passed rapidly from the front to the rear car. I let myself down and ran into the woods close beside the track. The ground was higher on that side, and, going forward, I could look right into the locomotive.

"The engineer was lying dead on the cab floor. A masked man stood between cab and tender, leaning out and looking backward. Two men came forward, and I heard them tell their own engineer that the express agent had been too quick for them and had locked the doors of the car. The engineer, who seemed to be their leader, swore at them and, pointing to a pile of ties beside the track, told them to take one of them and burst open the door. Seizing a tie, they began to batter at the door, the engineer watching them from the cab impatiently. It was plain to me that he wished to go and do the work himself, but dared not leave the cab. Presently his patience gave way and with a smothered growl he jumped down and ran to them."

"Then it occurred to me that were I in his place I could not restrain myself from doing just what he did. I saw an opportunity for me to save the express car. If I could unhook the

## STILL DENIES IT.

Mrs. Yerkes Tells Story of Her Marriage "Ridiculous."

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 2.—Charles E. Yerkes of this city, son of the late Charles T. Yerkes, declared yesterday that Mrs. C. T. Yerkes (Mrs. Minner) is the victim of a plot, and that the publicity which has been given her affairs within the last two days is the result of trickery.

Early yesterday, in response to a telegram sent to Mrs. Yerkes (Minner) the night before, Mr. Yerkes received the following:

New York, Feb. 1.—Telegram received. Story is simply ridiculous. Mrs. C. T. Yerkes.

After reading the message Mr. Yerkes said:

"That is in response to a message sent by me. We are sure now that this great publicity is being played as a game in New York by some people who are conspiring to a certain end."

"What is their motive, if the story is not true?" he was asked.

"I cannot discuss motives," said Mr. Yerkes.

Clergyman Asserts He Performed the Ceremony.

New York, Feb. 2.—No statement from Mrs. Yerkes was obtainable here yesterday as to whether she had been married to Wilson Minner. The Rev. Andrew Gillies of St. Andrew's Methodist Episcopal church, however, declares that he performed the ceremony and Wilson Minner was quoted yesterday as confirming the news of the marriage.

**VOTED TO GO TO PRISON.**

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Five hundred members of Typographical Union No. 16 voted unanimously Wednesday to go to jail. As they are on strike, they estimated they might save the \$1,000 fine assessed against the union by Judge Holdom if they were permitted to work out the amount in prison.

After the resolution was adopted, a committee was sent to Atty. W. H. Barum to learn if there was any hope of the strikers breaking into jail, and in that manner satisfying justice. They were disappointed when their attorney told them that, if the fine was upheld by a higher court, it would have to be paid, and that there was no prospect of the debt being liquidated by the strikers going to jail.

## OUR DIPLOMATS WIN

Object at Algiers Conference to Indirect Infringement

OF SULTAN'S SOVEREIGNTY

Finally Carry Their Point — France and Russia Are Supported by Ambassador White, but Spanish Envoy Objected.

Algiers, Spain, Feb. 2.—The Moroccan conference at its session yesterday adopted without modification the draft of the taxation project. The Moorish delegates raised objections, and will refer the proposals to the sultan. The question of reforming the customs duties was not considered.

The American delegates took an active part in the discussion before the conference by raising a point against any indirect infringement of the sultan's sovereignty. This was the first appearance of the Americans in the formal debates, and the point raised by them brought on the most earnest and interesting discussion the conference has thus far had.

The committee on taxation reported a lengthy plan, one feature of which gave the foreign consuls the right to retain a certain percentage of the taxes on foreigners to cover the expenses of collection. When this feature was reached, Ambassador White, head of the American delegation, rose and remarked that there appeared to be some inconsistency in foreign officials collecting money for the sultan, and then retaining a portion of what they collected.

He made the point, also, that such retention of a portion of revenues designed for the sultan might be construed as an infringement of his sovereignty. The ambassador, therefore, suggested a modification so that the retention of a portion of the tax by the consuls should not be a permanent feature of the system.

Mr. Revell, for France, and Count Cassini, for Russia, promptly supported the American view, and the approval became general with the exception of Spain. The Spanish delegates manifested strong dissent.

Sir Arthur Nicolson, the head of the British mission, daily suggested that since Spain objected it might be desirable not to press the proposed modification. Mr. White immediately assented, saying that he considered unanimity essential, and therefore he withdrew the proposed modification.

The conference thereupon adopted the committee's report giving a general plan for taxes largely under the control of the diplomatic and consular body at Tangier, and adjourned until Saturday.

## ANTI-FOREIGN RISING.

China Discontent Grows Fast and Trouble Is Feared.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 2.—Advice received by the Empress of China today of fears of an anti-foreign rising in China. Applications for the suppression of the rioters are being made by the Peking legations, but the Chinese authorities appear indifferent and have taken no steps other than issuing a formal notice to the provincial government to quell the rising.

Japan is firmly objecting to evacuation of foreign troops. A writer in a Shanghai paper says Chinese reformers and patriots have an idea the only way to overthrow the present dynasty is to start another anti-foreign disturbance like that of 1900, believing the foreign government would then depose the present rulers. The boycott is thoroughly anti-foreign.

Discontent among Russian prisoners in Japan resulted in attempts to fire the stores and depots, which house 12,000 prisoners, the malcontents trying to fire the buildings repeatedly, making as many as four attempts in one day.

## WIFE SLAYER INSANE.

John Schildofski May Yet Escape the Death Chair.

Boston, Feb. 2.—Insanity, it is now thought possible, may save John Schildofski from the electric chair for the murder of his wife and the partial dismemberment of her body in Arlington last fall. So confident the those who are interested in him that he is insane that the Superior Court will be asked today to name a commission to examine him. Schildofski's counsel, Henry H. Wilcox and P. H. Sullivan, visited him in the East Cambridge jail, where he is held, yesterday, and had a long conference with him. It is stated on what seems good authority that they will try to have him committed to some state

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Always effective is a bow of black velvet in the hair, provided it suits the wearer. This bow is coming into vogue again and will be worn with the all black demitool.

Perfectly fascinating are the sets of coat, muff and bonnet designed for wee tots of three and four, either entirely of fur or combined with other materials. A set of gray squirrel is particularly effective.

One of the prettiest models in dark blue velvet has its full skirt arranged in a succession of box plaits that terminate a foot or two from the bottom of the skirt, where a deep hem makes a finish. Quite short is the plaid bolero, with its band of embroidered sil-

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**THE EASIEST SHOES.**  
The earliest shoes were simply pieces of hide or skin drawn in purse fashions round the ankle with a string.

**A Double Event.**  
When about to be married a young woman in Westphalia discovered that her birth had never been registered, and so her birth and marriage were announced simultaneously.

**A Tombstone Ad.**  
This is from a tombstone in an English churchyard. It reads: "The death of his wife and the grave of his wife." "Sacred to the memory of Nathaniel Godbold, Esq., Inventor and Proprietor of that excellent medicine The Vegetable Balsam, for the Cure of Consumption and Asthma."

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## TALK FEDERAL CONTROL

Insurance Men In National Convention.

APPROVED BY ROOSEVELT

Federal Supervision of Insurance Companies Is the Issue Under Consideration in the Convention.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—The national insurance convention, called by Insurance Commissioner Thomas E. Drake, District of Columbia, with the approval of President Roosevelt, opened yesterday in the Palmer House Auditorium.

Federal supervision of insurance companies will be the issue at stake in the convention.

The Ames bill, introduced in Congress by Congressman Ames of Massachusetts, for the purpose of regulating insurance companies doing business in the District of Columbia, and which is held to tend indirectly to the federal control of insurance throughout the country, is the bone of contention.

Mr. Drake, who called the convention to order, pending the election of a permanent chairman, is credited with being the leader of the federal control of the convention. In this capacity he will be backed up by Ames, who will present the features of his bill to the convention.

There is a strong opposition lined up against the Ames bill, composed of State insurance officials, representatives of companies and some of the Governors of States. There is some question as to any decided action being taken in the way of insurance reforms.

Drake was cautious when asked to commit himself on a line of policy.

"I am in favor of both uniform State laws and federal control," he said. "I think one system is good when supplemented by the other."

Drake expressed himself as being a hearty advocate of the Ames bill.

Commissioner Van Dever of Missouri was as strongly against it.

## INSURANCE MEN ARRAIGNED.

Indictments Against Two in Minneapolis Charge Bribe.

Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—W. F. Bechtel, former president of the Northwestern National Life Insurance Company and Elmer H. Dearth, former State insurance commissioner, were arraigned Wednesday on two indictments charging bribery. Bechtel was charged with giving, and Dearth with receiving the bribe. Both pleaded not guilty.

Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of appendicitis, or some other ailment. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food, or your money back. 25c at Red Cross Pharmacy. Try them.

## THAT TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

Will Be One Main Building, Constructed of Brick and Marble.

Burlington, Feb. 2.—Dr. Henry D. Holton of Brattleboro, who is chairman of the state tuberculosis commission, was interviewed in regard to the plans for the state sanatorium to be erected at Pittsford the coming year. Dr. Holton said that the committee is in receipt of many plans from architects who desire to bid for the construction of the buildings, but it will be some time before definite action will be taken in the matter.

## It Takes Nerve

Everything depends upon your nerves. It is nerve force that causes the brain to direct the motion of your body; it is nerve force that causes your heart to pulsate, and send the blood through your veins; it is nerve force that causes your stomach to digest food, your kidneys to filter the blood, and the liver to secrete bile.

In fact, nerve force is the power that runs your body, so if you feel worn-out, irritable, nervous, cannot sleep, or eat well, have pain or misery anywhere, your nerves are weak, and your system run-down. To restore this vitality take Dr. Miles' Nervine which will strengthen and build up the nerves. You cannot be healthy without strong nerves.

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## HANDS LOOKED LIKE RAW BEEF

Terribly Inflamed, and Watery Matter Would Drop from Fingers—Had Doctor All Winter, But Grew Worse All the Time.

**CURED BY CUTICURA AT EXPENSE OF \$3.75**

"My hands broke out with eczema. One of the best physicians in this section treated me all winter till the next spring, but I grew worse all the time. I tried everything I could hear of. At last, in May, my husband happened to be in the store and saw the Cuticura Remedies, and as a last resort bought them. Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent. I commenced taking them, and when I had used three bottles of the Resolvent and the Soap and Ointment to go with it, I was cured."

"My hands were so bad and inflamed they were purple and raw as meat, and when I held them down, watery matter would drop off the fingers. I used the Soap to bathe them in and applied the Ointment spread on linen cloths, in which I did them up. I did not have the doctor when I was taking Cuticura, but I began taking it in May, and before cold weather my hands were entirely healed. You may use this any way you please, and I hope it will help other sufferers as it did me. (Signed) Mrs. Abbie A. Sauters, West Danville, Vt., April 19, 1905."

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Pittsford purchased by Senator Proctor for this purpose.

It will probably be built of brick and marble, the latter material entering quite freely into its construction. It is the plan to begin work on the foundation as early in the spring as possible and to complete the structure before cold weather next fall.

The original gift of Senator Proctor was \$100,000 to carry out the project of establishing the sanatorium and this will leave \$100,000 to be placed as a permanent fund, the gift of the land being entirely outside the original gift.

A conference of officials interested will be held soon, when further details will be discussed.

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